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TC 2800 MAIL ROOM

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re Application of:

Sadayuki MORI et al.

Application No.: 09/522,594

Filed: March 10, 2000

For:

SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE

WITH FUSE AND METHOD OF

MANUFACTURING SAME

Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231 99 č!! Sir:

<u>AMENDMENT</u>

In reply to the Office Action dated December 6, 2001, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 3 and 4 without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter thereof, amend claims 1, 2, 5, and 16, and add new claims 30-44, as follows:

1. (Amended) A semiconductor device comprising:

a first conductor;

a first insulating film formed on said first conductor;

a second conductor including/a first plug and a second plug formed on said first conductor through said first insulating film;